Minutes of the Parish Council meeting held in the Village Hall on Wednesday 25th November 2015 at 7.45pm

Apologies

Mrs Godfrey, Mr Bevans, Mrs Todd, Cllr Laughton

Present

Chairman Mr Bust, Mr Paris, Mrs Herbert, Mrs. Simmonds, clerk Mr P

Rickett

Cllrs Jackson and Rainbow

Minutes of the previous meeting were signed as a true record

Cllr Jackson spoke first as he had another meeting to attend

The 20 MPH is going ahead on 5 approaches to the school – unenforceable

The new boundaries have been settled we now fall in the Muskham and Farnsfield area

Cllr Jackson will follow up the water at the top of Radley Road, as the landowners have cleared all the ditches that Highways requested, but nothing more seems to have been done

The largest potholes on Halam Hill have been done

Village Hall

The Dance club will not be starting in January – await more information Race night will be held Friday 12th January 2016

The new speaker was found to be damaged – this has been exchanged

Clerk to contact the electrician to repair 3 overhead and 2 storage heaters as the floor needs keeping dry – contact the Chairman depending on the cost

The Chairman thanked all those who helped at the Harvest Supper

Mr Bevan to be asked to contact hall users past and present for support to go towards the grant application – replies direct to Mrs. Godfrey

Mrs Thompson to be invited to the next meeting as a Village Hall committee member, so that the committee's role and function can be discussed. The meeting that Mrs Herbert and Mrs Simmonds attended raised the matter of insurance cover for committees that have the public as members

Roads and hedges

Clerk asked to contact highways to get the gulley cleaned out on School Lane

Open meeting

Mrs Simmonds spoke about the topic of devolution which was on the agenda at the NALC meeting – Nottingham and Derby will be put together and there is talk of an elected mayor – clerk to contact the speaker and ask if they will come to the Parish Meeting

Christmas Tree to be put up by the Chairman and clerk in the next couple of weeks

Halam Charities – Mr Paris and Mr Bust reported that funds are still in line with previous years and that the secretary is leaving and a replacement is needed

Correspondence

Items circulated to PCs News from Paddy Tipping NALC membership 2015/17

Southwell Neighbourhood Plan – Mrs Herbert to keep a check on

Defra Flood Resilience Committee Pathfinders

New "Sector -Led Body" appointed - PC agreed to stay with the appointed

auditors

Local Government Boundary Committee Review

Citizen Advice AGM

No action to be taken on anything else

Planning

Householder application -1st floor extension to form bathroom. Conservatory

to rear

Appledale Radley Road

Agreed unanimously

Finance

Agreed to pay for a new minute book £164.40

Items for the next meeting

Village Hall Committee

Date of next meeting

Wednesday 9th December 2015 at 7.45pm

As there was no further business the meeting closed at 9pm